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1. MISSION OFFICERS MADE THE POINTS CONTAINED IN REF A TO OFFICIALS OF EC COMMISSION DIRECTORATES GENERAL I AND VI ON FEB. 25. THESE OFFICIALS SAID THAT THE FIRST OR SECOND WEEK IN MAY FOR WINE CONSULTATIONS IN WASHINGTON IN PRINCIPLE IS ACCEPTABLE. THEY WILL SUGGEST SHORTLY SPECIFIC DATES FOR THESE CONSULTATIONS.

2. COMMISSION OFFICIALS ALSO TOOK NOTE OF OUR DESIRE TO INCLUDE IN THE CONSULTATIONS THE FOLLOWING ISSUES: 1) THE LIST OF US GRAPE VARIETIES TO BE INCLUDED IN THE EC REGULATION ON LABELS FOR IMPORTED WINES; 2) THE INCLUSION OF ALL US HYBRID VARIETIES IN THIS REGULATION; AND 3) SUGGESTED

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EC SYNONYMS FOR CERTAIN HYBRID VARIETIES OF US WINES.

3. COMMISSION OFFICIALS REAFIRM THE UNDERSTANDING THAT THE LIST TO BE PUBLISHED SHORTLY OF US GRAPE VARIETIES ACCEPTABLE FOR IMPORT INTO THE EC IS PRELIMINARY AND IS SUBJECT TO ADDITIONS. THEY INDICATED THAT THE COMMISSION HAD AUTHORITY TO AMEND ANYTIME A COMMISSION REGULATION AND CONSEQUENTLY IT WAS NEITHER NECESSARY NOR DESIRABLE TO INCLUDE A STATEMENT TO THAT EFFECT IN THE REGULATION. WE TOOK ISSUE WITH THIS POINT, STRESSING THE NEED TO PLACE IN THE PUBLIC RECORD EVIDENCE THAT THIS WOULD BE ONLY A PRELIMINARY LIST AND WOULD BE SUBJECT TO ADDITIONS. COMMISSION OFFICIALS SAID THAT THEY WOULD LOOK INTO HOW THEY MIGHT SATISFY US ON THIS POINT.
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